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Protein: Balance of Shear Stress §
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the references listed below and on the attached form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of the cited documents are enclosed.

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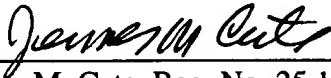
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This information is being submitted subsequent to the later of three months after the filing date of the present application or the mailing of the first Office action on the merits, but before the mailing of a final action or the notice of allowance. Accordingly, please charge the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), and any other charges now due in relation to the prosecution of this application, to Deposit Account No. 14-0116. The requisite fee is believed to be \$180.00.

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